

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RONALD G. SPARKS,

Petitioner,

No. CIV S-05-0621 MCE KJM P

vs.

P. SCHULTZ,

Respondent.

ORDER

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Petitioner, a federal prisoner proceeding pro se, has filed an application for writ of habeas corpus under “28 U.S.C. § 2241-2249.” Petitioner is currently housed in Merced County, which lies within the territory covered by the Fresno division of this court. See Local Rule 3-120(d). Accordingly, this action will be transferred to Fresno. See U.S. v. Giddings, 740 F.2d 770, 772 (9th Cir. 1984) (jurisdiction for § 2241 action generally lies within district of confinement); Local Rule 3-120(d) & (f).

Good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. This action is transferred to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California sitting in Fresno; and

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1 2. All future filings shall reference the new Fresno case number assigned and
2 shall be filed at:

3 United States District Court
4 Eastern District of California
5 1130 "O" Street
6 Fresno, CA 93721

7 DATED: December 29, 2005.

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10 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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